
SHOWDOWN IN CIVIL SERVICE PRUNING FACED

With the issue the chief topic of discussion among officials and employees in the city hall, the three ordinances adopted last week by the city council depriving the civil service board of all powers not delegated to it by the city charter, will be laid before the council for final action.

Regardless of the council's attitude of opposition to the recommendations of the civil service board setting the city salary schedule to provide general increases in salary of many municipal employees, the recommendations have been adopted by two departments of the municipal government that are not under control of the council in the question

The board of park directors has adopted the civil service board's suggestions providing for increases in the salaries of Secretary Henry Vogt and Superintendent L. S. Korfoot and the new salary rule in the department has already gone into effect.

At the last meeting of the board of playground directors a resolution was passed adopting the recom-

menation and providing for the increases advised for four members of the department, including the assistant superintendent, assistant secretary, stenographers and senior clerk. No date was set, however, for the ruling to go into effect and further consideration will be given the move at the meeting of the board on Friday of next week.

The school department and the library board also have the power

of acting independently of the council in adopting the salary increase recommended, although neither have taken action. The issue will be discussed at the next meeting of the board of education.

Further consideration of the council's attitude and the action taken in depriving the civil service board of its powers over the salaries of municipal employees will be given

by members of the Municipal Civil Service Employees' association to-night.

Discussion of the formation of a union among city employees as a result of the council's action has been revived, according to Henry F. Vogt, president of the association.

Kiddies Will Have

Candy Despite Sugar

BDRKELEY, Dec. 13.—Berkeley kiddies will have candy in their stockings at the municipal Christmas celebration planned for the Greek theater on December 21.

The success of the holiday celebration was threatened this week by a shortage of sugar with which to make candy for the children of the

city. Realizing that a Christmas without candy would be a very sad occasion for the children of the city Mayor Louis Bartlett appealed to Ralph Merritt in his capacity as food controller.

As a result the candy factories of Santa Claus will be able to turn out the requisite amount of sweets to make Christmas taste right for the city's kiddies.

COLLEGIANS IN DEMAND.
BERKELEY, Dec. 13.—College graduates are in demand, according to the Alumni association of the University of California. The alumni secretary announces that he is able to place immediately fifteen men and five women in good positions.

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COUNTY SIFTS SCHOOL FIGHT AT LIVERMORE

Charges that T. L. Brecheen, until last May principal of the Livermore Union High school, had obtained his high school teacher's certificate by fraud and had violated the rules of the school district by closing his school without authority from the trustees were brought before the county board of education at a meeting in the office of County Superintendent of Schools George W. Erick to consider the revocation of the certificate.

Alleged activity of Brecheen in the election of school trustees is said to be partly responsible for the investigation.

C. L. Wente, president of the Livermore board of trustees, filed charges. Erick then advised by Deputy District Attorney O. D. Hamilton Jr. showed that at the University of California and University of Texas, of which institutions Brecheen claimed to be a graduate, whereas he was not known.

It has developed during the hearing that the county certificate, which was granted in 1910, expired six years ago and that the revocation was therefore unnecessary.

Following allegations concerning Brecheen's political activity he was discharged last May. District Attorney Erick then advised the Livermore board that his salary must be paid until July 1. Brecheen later brought mandamus proceedings to compel the payment of the two months salary, \$428. The board then advised that Wente filed another letter with the county board, saying the charges had been dropped, as the matter had been settled. The county board refused to look on the proceedings and is preparing to ask the first appellate court for a writ of probable cause for a new trial.

McHUGO IS GIVEN PRISON SENTENCE

Guidance of the court in the trial of a decision by a judge in Minnesota on a somewhat similar law. Cleary announces that he will fight the constitutionality of the law and the proceeding under the act and the highest court, and is preparing to ask the first appellate court for a writ of probable cause for a new trial.

The conviction is interpreted as holding that membership in the I. W. W. in California is unlawful, and that the organization is an outlaw.

McHugo was not tried on any overt act of violence, and was convicted upon the basis of his membership in the organization, accepting and teaching its doctrine of sabotage and violence. He was arrested May 23 at the I. W. W. headquarters less than a month after the enactment of the law, which was passed April 20. The jury found the verdict of guilty after five minutes' deliberation.

Hayward Delegate for C. of C. Meeting

HAYWARD, Dec. 12.—The Hayward Chamber of Commerce has been engaged for the evening of December 13 for the annual conference of chamber of commerce secretaries which will meet in Pasadena the last three days of this year.

Armstrong will visit a number of towns in the south after the conference to gather data on what is being accomplished by the chambers in other towns of Hayward's size. He will return to Hayward about the middle of January.

Danville Will Have Big Community Tree

DANVILLE, Dec. 12.—The annual Christmas tree is an community success as much money has been donated. Fraternal hall has been engaged for the evening of December 13 for the annual conference of chamber of commerce secretaries which will meet in Pasadena the last three days of this year.

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FIGHTS PAYING COMMON LAW WIFE ALIMONY

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 12.—Philip J. Rice, chief engineer for the Spring Valley Water Company, and prominent in social circles, today denied ever having married Mrs. Frances Rice, his wife. The declaration was made in answer to his wife's petition for \$125 alimony monthly. According to Rice's statements, the couple have been living together since 1901 but no marriage ceremony was ever performed. The case involves a further legal point. It is said no superior court has ever passed on the contention of a common law wife for alimony.

FLIRT SENTENCED BY JUDGE SMITH

Making good his promise to Ralph Curzan, insurance man, with offices in the Bacon building, that he would lodge Curzan behind prison bars if he appeared in court on a second charge of flirting with young girls, Police Judge Mortimer Smith today sentenced Curzan to spend ten days in the city prison and pay a fine of \$100.

Several weeks ago Curzan was fined \$120 by Judge Smith on conviction of the charge that he rode about town and attempted to make the acquaintance of many young women by ogling from the seat of his automobile. At that time Judge Smith promised Curzan a jail sentence if he appeared again.

The defendant defended himself, stating he "had a right to flirt," and, furthermore, his eyes could "not behave."

Curzan has a wife and two children, who reside on Haddon road.

PAPER PASSES HALF CENTURY

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS. LEAST WIRE TO TRIBUNE.

BUENOS AIRES, Nov. 15.—The recent anniversary by La Prensa, one of South America's best known newspapers, of its fiftieth anniversary, was marked by unusual tributes to its prestige.

In its fortieth page, an anniversary edition contained congratulations from presidents of seven countries, including President Wilson, statesmen, military leaders and journalists from all parts of the world.

The palatial Prensa building with its assembly hall, banquet hall, library, school of music, medical clinic, law and other departments devoted to the use of its readers, was the scene of numerous functions for three days.

The employees of La Prensa, numbering 600, presented to Ezequiel Paz, the owner, a large gold plaque, at a testimonial banquet. Paz in turn presented to each member of his staff a gold watch and a banquet in their honor.

The banquet to the staff was held at Gran Hotel de Piedad in the city. The decorations were elaborate. The walls were covered with tapestries of pictorial design, the tables were covered with exquisite paintings, while life-sized bronze statues stand on either side of a throne-like dais, the whole giving the impression of a state banquet hall in some royal palace of Europe.

Two Dixon Men Have Automobile Accident

DIXON, Dec. 12.—Returning from Sacramento, Ernest Parker and E. Carpenter met with an accident at the Davis end of the Yolo causeway, when their automobile skidded and crashed into a fence, turning over twice. They suffered general bruises, but are not seriously injured, while their car is a wreck. They say the frosty surface of the highway caused the car to skid.

Passing autoist took Parker and Carpenter to Davis and they telephoned to Dixon for assistance to bring them home in the way of an automobile.

Suicide Leaves \$1000 in His Pocketbook

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 12.—Leaving a thousand dollar bill in his pocketbook and a note explaining his death on his desk, J. N. Keltus shot and killed himself here today. "I am old and will soon be blind," he wrote, and gave directions that the expense of his funeral should be paid from his funds and that the authorities must do what they pleased with any balance.

JAPANESE STUDENT SHOT. FALO ALTO, Dec. 12.—Sohchi Kikunaga, Stanford university student, is reported dying at the Peninsula hospital here today. Kikunaga was shot in the head last night by another Japanese, said to have been named Susimoto, a former Stanford student. Police are searching for the assailant.

'SAB CAT' MAN IN I. W. W.'S TELLS WORK

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Dec. 12.—Testimony purporting to show activities of I. W. W. in committing sabotage in this country was introduced by the government today in the trial of 32 alleged members of the organization being held in the Federal district court in Kansas City, Kan. Albert Coutts, of Fresno, Calif., testified he had been a "Sab Cat" for the I. W. W., which meant he was one to commit sabotage. He was a chemist, he said, and had a laboratory in California, where he made "kitties."

The "kitties" were a mixture of chemicals placed in a bottle. After a certain time the chemicals ate away the cork in the bottle and became inflammatory.

The laboratory was known as an "ark" to the I. W. W., he testified. Coutts' laboratory had been brought to the Federal courtroom.

"I saw where the I. W. W. was leading me," Coutts said, after he had left the witness stand. "That is why I quit."

CIDER PROMOTES BRAND NEW LOT OF MILLIONAIRES

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—Hard cider is replacing hard liquor. A statement issued today by the public bureau of the auxiliary interests declared that hard cider is the "prohibition baby," that "new millionaires have been made overnight," and that "the stock of cider in the United States is valued at as that of the Standard Oil."

Under a ruling of the Internal Revenue Commission the sale of cider is permissible. The statement declared that profits of 15 and 20 per cent are being made on cider that contains as high as 6 per cent of alcohol.

Christmas Dinner Sought for Needy

Aid from the public in its work of providing Christmas dinners for the needy of the city is asked by the Associated Charities, in a statement issued from its offices. The city police when the families, with four thousand children are on the rolls of the organization as needing help to give them a Christmas dinner. Christmas parties for the thousands of children have been arranged and plans to supply fifty dinners to families have been made by the organization. More help from individuals is needed to carry on the work, officials state.

Retired Capitalist is Fined for Disturbance

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 12.—Following her attempt to have Richard Caine, retired Marysville capitalist, fined for alleged assault, Mrs. Viola Franklin of this city swore to a complaint charging Caine with disturbing the peace when she alleges he attacked her in her home here recently. Caine pleaded guilty to the charge before Judge W. E. Tucker and was fined \$10, which he promptly paid. At the preliminary trial on the felony charge against Caine the woman admitted intimate relations with the aged man.

Edwards' Olive Tablets Get to the Cause and Remove It

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets, the substitute for calomel, act gently on the bowels and positively do the work which calomel does, without the relief through taking them.

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FINDER KEEPS \$5 BILL CLAIMED BY SIXTY-SEVEN

When the foul of persons who claimed to have the \$5 bill, "lost somewhere in Oakland," but were lacking in stating the exact location, had reached 67, Capt. Thorvald Brown of Melrose station, returned the bill to John MacCauley, 11 years, the original finder of the money.

When young John gave the bill to Melrose police to be returned to the owner, he was told to call in a few days.

Sixty-seven separate and distinct owners of five-dollar bills called at Melrose station. They were long on description though short on locality.

Capt. Brown told young MacCauley always to be honest and assured him "the police are not here to scare children into doing right, but to teach them that the good and honest boy and girl will always find a friend in a police officer."

GERMANS STRIKE BITTER BALANCE

BERLIN, Dec. 12.—Results of the first year of the revolution in Germany are summarized by the Socialists. Monthly as comprising a decline in the value of the mark, an increase in the cost of living, decreased production of coal and steadily mounting public debts. The paper casts a balance for the year in a bitter and sarcastic vein.

It points out that the mark has declined in value within the year from 72 Swiss francs to 20.25 francs. It gives a long list of articles of food showing increases ranging up to 100 per cent for butter, and nearly 200 per cent for eggs. The paper states that the cost of transportation has increased.

The production of coal is asserted to have declined from 130,000,000 tons in 1918 to 100,000,000 tons in 1919. The cost of living has increased 100 per cent. The paper states that the cost of living has increased 100 per cent. The paper states that the cost of living has increased 100 per cent.

Porto Rico Teacher is Guest at Niles Home

NILES, Dec. 12.—Miss Elizabeth Harrington of Denver, who is visiting here, spent Thursday here visiting her aunt and cousin, Mrs. J. D. Lynch and Miss Margaret Lynch. Miss Harrington, who is a teacher of languages in Porto Rico, is now on her way to Seattle.

Radical Bookseller Held in Los Angeles

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 12.—I. A. Yehudis, proprietor of a book store, was arrested by federal agents, after a struggle, in the post office here yesterday, when he called for a package of registered mail containing W. W. Harris. He is being held for investigation.

CROSSING AUTHORIZED

RAID POINT, Dec. 12.—The Bay Point and Clayton railroad has been authorized by the railroad commission to construct an overhead crossing over a county highway near Bay Point. This crossing will give the company a terminal on deep water and will also, through its use by the Oakland-Artich line, provide transportation for the employees of the shipyard at Bay Point.

DENTIST'S GOLD STOLEN

Dentist's gold valued at \$20 was stolen from the office of David Cohn, 1027 Broadway, last night.

WORTHLESS CHECK CASHED. C. H. Norton, 1710 Forty-sixth street, cashed a \$10 check for a new customer last night. It was returned marked no funds.

ALLEGED RIOTERS ARE TO BE TRIED

Twelve men arrested in Oakland during rioting in connection with the street car strike last October will go on trial for contempt of a federal court as a result of a ruling, today by United States District Judge William C. Van Fleet.

The defendants were taken into custody after Judge Van Fleet had issued a temporary restraining order prohibiting any interference with the operation of street cars in the Eastbay district. When the men were brought in, their attorneys raised the point that the federal court had no jurisdiction in the strike situation, the issue being solely a problem for the civil court. This contention was opposed by the United States.

The defendants are charged with having raised a mob on the ground that, inasmuch as a state of war officially has not been ended, the company has a matter of law to decide whether the strike is a warlike act. This point was raised until Judge Van Fleet definitely decided whether he had jurisdiction in the matter. Under today's decision those who disregarded the temporary restraining order, must stand trial for contempt of court.

ALAMEDA OFFICIAL SUED FOR DIVORCE

Dr. Arthur H. Evans, city health officer of Alameda, residing at 827 Laurel street, Alameda, is sued for divorce in a complaint filed today by Mrs. Nellie W. Hieronymus, charging extreme cruelty on the part of her husband.

The couple were married twenty-one years ago in New York city and are two sons, Arthur Shimer, age 20, and Joseph Stewart, age 15. Dr. Hieronymus and his wife lived together until August 1 of this year when they definitely separated after a period, the complaint recites, in which he showed her no affection, stung out late at night and told his family that he "was tired of the whole crowd."

Mrs. Hieronymus asks custody of the two children, a division of the community property, reasonable amount for support of the children and the costs of the action. She is aided by Attorney L. R. Weimann, police judge of Alameda.

Violators of Pure Food Law in Court

Two charges of pure food violations against Swift & Company and Makins Corporation were called today in Police Judge George Samuels' court.

Swift & Company is charged with selling "sliced" bacon, adulterated and in a decomposed state. In one charge, the complaint charges state eggs.

Wanto Corporation is charged with dispensing rotten eggs and Makins Corporation with selling bad butter.

Swift & Company will enter plea today. Wanto Corporation will enter plea December 15 and Makins Corporation on December 17.

The arrests were made following an investigation by H. C. Peters, state food inspector of Berkeley.

TREATMENT FOR INFLUENZA CASES

Simple Home Treatment to Ward Off Attacks in Early Stages

The experience in last year's epidemic of influenza taught us that the disease should be fought in its early stages. Here the symptoms are similar to a cold in the head and the treatment should be used, usually with effective results.

Any physician will tell you that the drugs to use in such cases are Aspirin, Phenacetine, Quinine, Salol, Caffeine Citrate and Camphor Monobromate. The action of these drugs quickly break up the cold and even conquer the advanced stage of Grippe.

These drugs are offered to the public in Grip Fix, a preparation for use in the home. It has been on the market for ten years and is a wonderful work during the epidemic of last year. It comes in capsule form, convenient to take and gives quick relief. It relieves a cold in a night and, used in the early stages, prevents a general toning up effect.

Grip Fix is for sale by all druggists. Get a box today. Always keep it in the house. Prompt treatment of colds is half the battle. When you get your first cold, it is a warning that you are in the grip of the epidemic. Just as soon as you feel a cold coming on, take Grip Fix. It is a preparation "just as good" for colds as it is for grippe. For sale by all druggists. Price, \$1.00. Advertisement.

DANIEL W. PRATT GIVEN PROBATION

Daniel W. Pratt, former secretary and business manager of the Oakland Board of Education, was given probation today by Judge Mortimer Smith upon the recommendation of Probation Officer Leonard Compton, following his plea of guilty to the grand jury indictment charging him with the appropriation to his own use of a set of automobile tires from the storehouse of the board.

Pratt pleaded in extenuation that he had incurred more personal expense in Sacramento working for the board of a law in which the department was interested than he could recover under the law. He also pleaded that he believed himself entitled to make use of the property, especially as he used the tires largely in the public service.

In granting probation, Judge Compton called attention to the fact that he had granted probation to Pratt because of the fact that he had been unable to support the charge with any evidence of wrong-doing at any other time. He said he believed the offense condemnable and that by granting probation Pratt would be able to support the charge. The attorney for the probation officer and the district attorney A. A. Rogers, who said that in connection with the school department business he had always taken for it to be filled with zeal for the work.

The term of probation is five years, subject to being terminated at any time the probationer has shown worthiness.

In granting probation to Pratt Judge Quinn said:

"The court has known the defendant a long time and has favorably regarded him. He has shown a record to consider. Because he is a city official the case demanded even more careful investigation, as the acts of a man in public life are subject to closer scrutiny than the acts of a private citizen."

"Personally I knew the defendant years ago at the Judson Iron Works and I thought I recognized a fine future for such a man. I considered it a mistake for him to enter into a political position."

The court asked if there was any objection to the granting of probation and Deputy District Attorney A. A. Rogers said:

"During the period that the defendant was business manager of the board of education, I frequently had to confer with him regarding the law and the business of the department and I always found him filled with zeal for his work. I learned with deep sorrow of his mistake. I consider that it was a mistake."

The court said further:

"It is to be remembered that the defendant made no attempt to deny the city of its property, having the opinion that the city owed him the amount represented as the result of expenses incurred which he could not recover."

Charges Husband Left With Another Woman

Married to his present wife nearly thirty-five years ago, James L. Garver, 40, of 1414 E. 14th street, today charged his wife with desertion and leaving their family goods and leaving their Santa Rosa home with another woman in 1914. In Mrs. Emma Garver's divorce complaint.

E. E. Keyes, attorney for Mrs. Garver, explained that Mrs. Garver was visiting in Oakland at the time and that she received a telephone message from her daughter in Santa Rosa that it was her furniture before both left she had better hurry home, as both showed signs of departure. Mrs. Garver hurried and acted as an ostensible help in the removal of the furniture, but did not stay her husband.

They were married March 20, 1882, and have three children, two of whom are adults. Mrs. Garver asks for the custody of the one minor child. She says there is no community property, all the holdings being her separate property. She is not asking for alimony. Garver is said to be in the state of Washington.

Wife Seeks Denial of Final Decree

Claiming the prospective advent of a baby as the result of a reconciliation since the interlocutory decree of divorce was granted a year ago, Mrs. Anna C. Mathieson, wife of Arthur C. Mathieson, Oakland haberdasher, has filed a petition in the Superior court through her attorney, J. J. Jerome and W. L. Howe, to have the final decree of divorce denied.

This is the first case on record in Alameda county that such a proceeding has been attempted. The petition was filed last yesterday, the day upon which the final decree would automatically have been granted by Judge Everett Brown.

Mrs. Mathieson obtained an interlocutory decree of divorce in 1918, on her complaint of cruelty.

POWER IS GIVEN. ROZEMAN, Dec. 12.—The problem of cheap power has been met in a novel manner by the Montana State college here. Oak Harbor DeKalb Reeds, a bull owned by the college, runs a treadmill that furnishes power for a cow hutch at the college dairy barn.

MATE HELD ON BIGAMY CHARGE; 1 WIFE FAINTS

Creating a scene in the police court corridor, Mrs. Nellie Stachle, 23, swooned and fainted today when Police Judge Mortimer Smith ordered her husband, Otto C. Stachle, 40, a painter, remanded to his cell in the city prison and to have police inspectors investigate the charge of bigamy against him. Mrs. Stachle, 21, who is wife No. 2, and Stachle's third wife, were in the courtroom when Stachle was arraigned for examination on a charge of failure to provide for wife No. 2 and a 4-year-old child.

Wife No. 1, by whom Stachle had three children, is dead. It will be investigated to determine whether he committed bigamy by marrying wife No. 2.

According to the allegation, Mrs. Stachle claims Stachle married Nellie Peters, his wife No. 3, last September before receiving his final decree of divorce.

After Judge Smith heard this, he ordered Stachle's bail fixed at \$5000.

LEGION WILL SEE GRIZZLY PICTURES

Three reels of motion pictures showing activities of the 143d Regiment of Field Artillery, recruited largely in Oakland during the period in which the Fortieth Division was in training for overseas service in Camp Kearney, near San Diego, will be the feature of the program at a joint meeting and entertainment to be given in the North hall of the Municipal Auditorium, next Tuesday evening, by Oakland Post of the American Legion and the Women's Auxiliary of the post.

The pictures, which show the regiment in review on a road march and in camp, were taken by Mary Pickford, godmother of the 143d. The reels are the most cherished of the regiment's treasures and they have never been shown to the public. They were presented to the outfit when the 143d left for France in the summer of 1918.

Another feature of the program will be the appearance of the Overseas Reels, which will be shown at the Orpheum Theater next week. Music for the entertainment will be furnished by the newly-organized jazz orchestra of the post. The program will be followed by an informal dance.

Preceding the entertainment, a short business program will be held, in which the members of the auxiliary will participate for the first time.

Mail Packages Early is Christmas Slogan

Posters urging the public to mail Christmas packages early are being distributed by the government in all parts of the country. It is pointed out that the mailing of so many trains, due to coal shortage, will greatly cripple the mail service, and that if packages are to reach their destination on time they must be mailed earlier than usual. Postmaster Joseph J. Rosborough asks the co-operation of the public in the matter of preventing mail congestion during the holidays.

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KEEP THIS QUIET WILL YOU, OLD MAN— BUT— UM— ER— WHAT'S THE ADDRESS OF THIS WONDERFUL CRYSTAL READER THE LANDLADY'S PATRONIZING?

UMPTY UMPTY STREET NEXT TO THE BARBERS— ONE FLIGHT UP, BUT I HEAR HE'S RAISED HIS SITTINGS TO 5 BUCKS. H.C. OF L. Y'KNOW.

\$5 IN ADVANCE, BEFORE ADMITTANCE TO THE GREAT HULA-HULA. ALSO, FELLOW, REMOVE YOUR HAT, WIPE YOUR FEET AND TREAD SOFTLY.

I SEE A BOARDING HOUSE. - A MRS. PRUHN CONDUCTS IT. SPEAKING IN THE VERNACULAR, YOU ARE THE STARBOARDER IN THIS ESTABLISHMENT. YOU ARE CLOSE !! A TIGHTWAD?? THE PLANET SATURN REIGNS AT YOUR BIRTH. BAD— VERY BAD - I SEE A SUDDEN DEATH! BUT THAT IS CONTINGENT UPON YOUR FUTURE CONDUCT. IF FROM HENCEFORTH YOU ARE OPEN HANDED GENEROUS ETC.

LATER

ER— SAY PERCY, HERE'S THAT 10 SPOT YOU ASKED ME TO LOAN YOU LAST WEEK.

THANKS, OLD TOP.

JUST IMAGINE MA-HOTBUNN'S LOANING REAL MONEY!

CAL LEWING SALLIES FORTH IN SEARCH OF TRAINING CAMP

CRYSTALS AND JUDSONS MEET IN FEATURE GAME OF TRIBUNE LEAGUE SCHEDULE TOMORROW

Class A Clubs Promise Fast Sunday Games

Bushers Decided to Stage the Games on Their Own Ball Fields.

By EDDIE MURPHY.

The little bushers have decided to stay in their own little yards to play their game tomorrow afternoon, so the big game of the Class A division of the Oakland Tribune Midwinter League will be played at Judson Park, Emeryville. With another record crowd predicted to watch the game, the bushers are not at all worried about the accommodations for fans at Judson Park. The bushers are not at all worried about the accommodations for fans at Judson Park. The bushers are not at all worried about the accommodations for fans at Judson Park.

Fodder Dolan and Bill Steen Will Do Pitching

Frank (Fodder) Dolan, who, with the reputation of pitching more ball in the bushes than any other hurler now performing around here, will be in the box for the Crystals, that announcement being made by the manager John Budger of the Washers. Dolan is overhauling with confidence that he will be able to outpitch the veteran Bill Steen. Dolan has been in the box for the Crystals, and so has Bill Steen for the Judsons, so it looks like a close game in spite of the fact that Dolan is a pitcher and Steen is a catcher.

Constructors and Kriegs Play at Fruitvale

The J. J. Kriegs and Union Constructors are not in the habit of making much difference to the fans of Fruitvale and others who are interested in the two clubs. The Constructors, who have not won a game in the league since the first game, are looking for a win in the game with the Kriegs. The Constructors are not in the habit of making much difference to the fans of Fruitvale and others who are interested in the two clubs. The Constructors, who have not won a game in the league since the first game, are looking for a win in the game with the Kriegs.

Mulcahy to Return to Tractors Lineup

Some hard playing is going to be witnessed at the San Leandro ball park when the C. L. Steen of the chertys and the Hall-Scott of the Tractors, after losing their last three games, are on the verge of slipping into the second place. The Tractors, after losing their last three games, are on the verge of slipping into the second place. The Tractors, after losing their last three games, are on the verge of slipping into the second place.

McClain Will Pitch Against Hallow-Didders

The Oakland Native has been asked to pitch a tough job of going to Alameda and meeting the Hallow-Didders, who are expected to be the winners of the game. The Oakland Native has been asked to pitch a tough job of going to Alameda and meeting the Hallow-Didders, who are expected to be the winners of the game.

Changes Made in Football Schedule

"CHARLOTTEVILLE, Va., Dec. 12.—The football schedule of the College of Agriculture and Mechanical Arts of North Carolina, which was announced last week, has been changed. The game between the college and the University of North Carolina, which was scheduled for December 13, has been postponed to December 14.

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Attendance Last Year Was 170,000; the Largest Since 1913.

By BOB SHAND.

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THE ELLIOTT DEAL

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Basketball

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Sequoiah Golfers in Christmas Tournery

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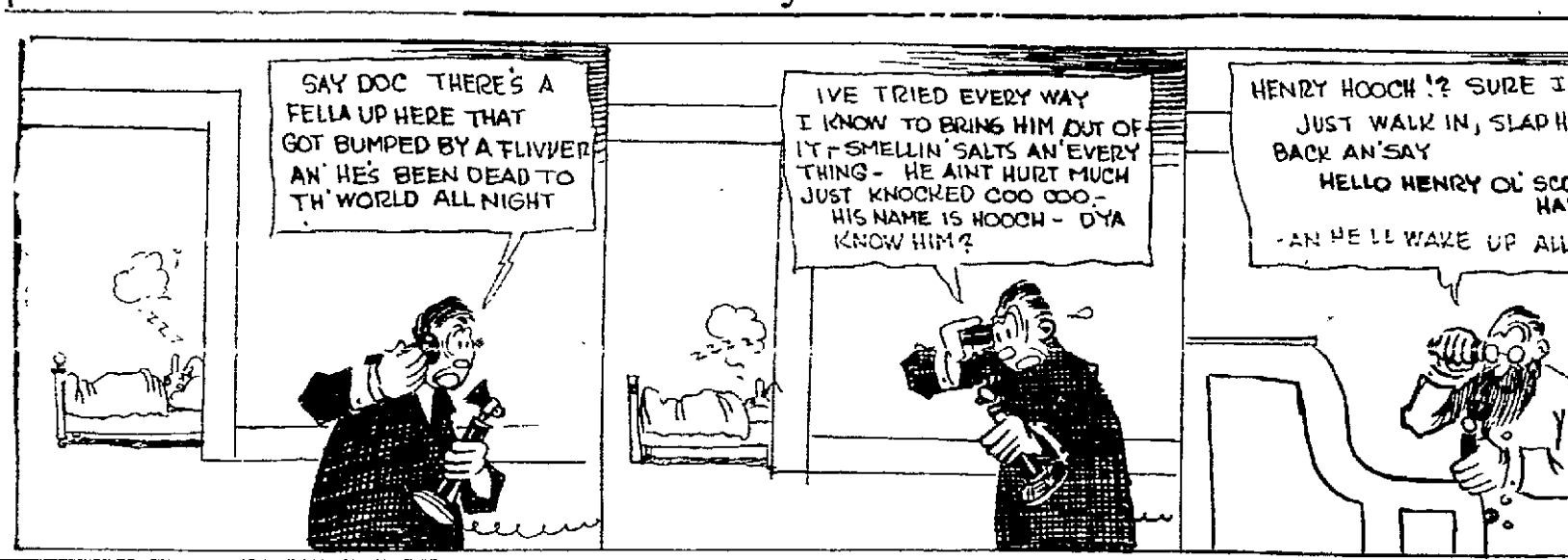
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Local Auditorium Will Be Scene of Big Stunts by Community Service.

Four full hours of real winter sports, including a snowball battle, will be the treat to the people of the eastbay cities on the afternoon of New Year's Day, and the best of it all, there is not going to be any admission charged. The big doings are to be run under the auspices of the Community Service and all will take place at the Oakland auditorium. The attendance last year at the game was 170,000, the largest since 1913. The attendance last year at the game was 170,000, the largest since 1913.

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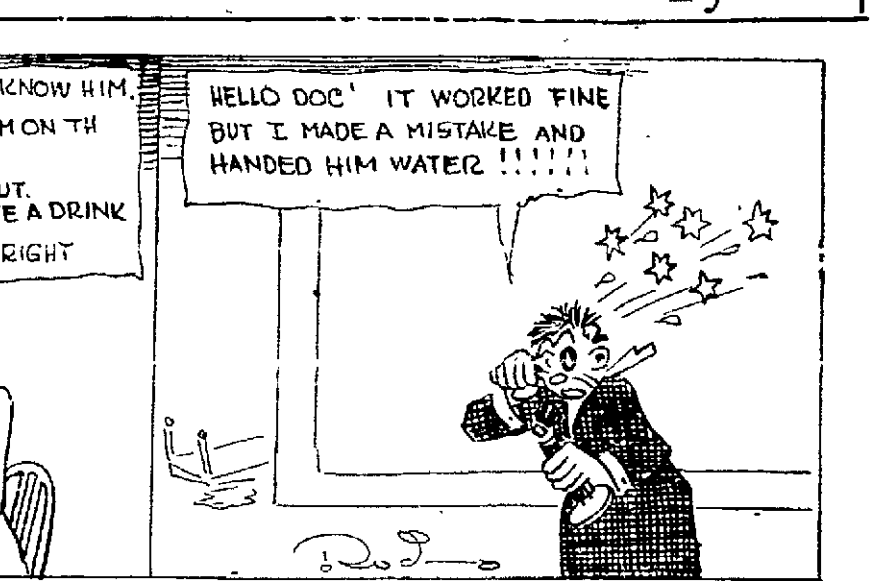
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REVELATIONS of a WIFE

by ADELE GARRISON

(Continued from Yesterday)

"There," I said, coming out of the closet, "let me get you into this. It's your first dress."

"Don't use that expression, Madge," she said as she turned to her dressing table. "It always makes me shiver."

As she bustled herself with cold cream and eye powder, the simple, freshening toilet rite which so many faintly women use, my thoughts went back to the time which had made her shiver, the time when "don't use that expression" had been said with a mask of rouge and liquid preparations, turning it into the ghastly travesty of youth upon which Harry Underwood insisted.

What spiritual crucifixion her life with Harry Underwood had been! And now, when his desertion of her, his entanglement with Grace Draper, had freed her from every moral obligation toward him, the legal tie of marriage still chained her—made hopeless the happiness that might have been hers with Robert Savarin.

As I fastened the gown at her back, when under her fingers trembled with their pity for the grayness of the future stretching before my brave friend, I was glad that she could not see my face. But I had not counted upon the clairvoyant intuition of her.

"Dear child!" she said softly, turning up her hand to mine. Don't waste any time worrying about me. I have my baby and my work. I have time to be unhappy. But everything else out of your mind and set it to the problem of how best to manage Marion when she wakes."

"You will have to distort that course," I replied promptly.

"Tell her you have had to take her grandmother to see another physician or something of that sort. And I would give her no time to think. Have everything ready so that when you go to wake her, she can tell her of Mr. Savarin's coming, and then simply keep her in a gale of action until she has started. I think you can count on Mr. Savarin for this."

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EASTBAY SOCIETY NEWS

Alameda Matron Entertains For Bride

One of the interesting events of the week took place this afternoon when Mrs. Herbert Sidney Jones, who is to leave shortly for San Diego, where Lieutenant Jones is to be stationed, entertained at a delightful tea planned in honor of Mrs. Eugene May, who was Miss Charlotte Culver before her marriage a few months ago. The young matron entertained at the home of her mother, Mrs. Walter Garrett, in Alameda, and about eighty guests were present during the afternoon. The living room, where the hostess received her friends, was converted into a bower of Christmas berries combined with greenery and in the dining room a profusion of pink roses formed the decoration.

Mrs. Pearson was assisted in receiving her guests by her mother and her sister, Miss Edith Pearson. The bride-elect is a daughter of Mrs. William Alpers of Westfield, New Jersey, and is a junior at college. She is to leave shortly for the East to pass the holidays with her mother, and her wedding will be celebrated in the spring. Johnson is a graduate of the University of Wisconsin and is now in the army. He served in the aviation corps and held the rank of lieutenant. He was shot for bravery during his service in the flying corps.

Major and Mrs. George Dillman, who have been residing at the Claremont Country Club since the early part of last year, will go south for the holidays. They will be with their son, Ensign Wallace Dillman, who is stationed at Long Beach, with his ship. Major and Mrs. Dillman will remain in the southern part of the state about a month.

Shortly after the first of the year Mr. and Mrs. Leland Stanford Scott will start on a trip which will take them through the larger cities in the East. The Scotts will go direct to New York City, where they will pass a few weeks before starting on their tour. They will be away for some time. Before their departure their friends will have a farewell affair given for Mrs. Scott by her friends among the younger matrons here.

At the annual meeting and election of officers of the Eastbay Society, Mrs. George Jensen was elected to succeed Mrs. Samuel Marks as president of the organization. Mrs. Jensen had served in the office about four years and during that time the women accomplished great things. The other officers elected were Mrs. Walter Briggs, first vice-president; Mrs. Margaret English, second vice-president; Mrs. Edith Dunne, third vice-president; Mrs. Marion Johnson, recording secretary; Mrs. William Cavalier, assistant; Mrs. Frederick English, correspondence secretary; Mrs. Charles Young, treasurer; Mrs. Almerie Cox, head assistant.

Twenty-five of the younger matrons and girls were entertained this afternoon at a delightful informal tea given by Mrs. Charles Lewis Clifford at the George Ross home in the Crocker Highlands. Mrs. Clifford planned the service in honor of her sister-in-law Mrs. Donald Ross, who, with her small son, recently arrived from about three months with relatives here. Mrs. Ross was Miss Elizabeth Lepper before her marriage two or three years ago.

The wedding of Mrs. Margaret Adolphe to Coleman Cole will take place tomorrow afternoon at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. J. P. Hutton, on Port, Fifth street, and only five guests will be present. Rev. Levi will officiate.

Children's shoes are out of sight, but the little feet will be wadded back to happy days when we smoked rattan umbrellas and just light a six-cent cigar.

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Civil Service Positions Are Denied Women

By EDNA H. KINARD.

With the Professional and Business Women's Clubs locally and throughout the state, a general battle against the discrimination that bars women from large percentage of civil service positions, municipal, state and federal, there would seem, according to a report which has come from Miss Mary Anderson, director of the Woman's Bureau, United States Department of Labor, to be a real reason for these important bodies of feminine thinkers and doers for giving their attention to this matter at the present time.

Miss Anderson reports that women were barred from 60 per cent of the government positions for which examinations were held in the first six months of 1915. Women were not permitted to compete for 16 per cent of the clerical positions. The examinations covered 250 types of positions, exclusive of manufacturing and mechanical positions in ordinance factories, quartermaster depots, navy yards and in the post office. A detailed and complete report is being prepared by the Woman's Bureau.

With the ambition to build and own its own club house, the California Writers' Club has planned to manage a Christmas gift to itself and arranged the December program as a benefit musical. That kind of a thing, the Weiss and Weiss are opening their Berkeley home at 1441 and 1443 avenues, for the elaborate affair which has been reserved for Wednesday evening, December 17. Those who will contribute their talents to the program are: Miss Dorothy Dukes, solo; Miss Dorothy Fyfe, soprano; Miss Helen Whitney, classical dancer; Arthur Conner, violin; Dr. Weiss, cello; Frederick Maurer, piano; John Whitcomb Nash, baritone and monologue.

Miss Florence Livingston will talk on writing before the members of the fiction class on Tuesday afternoon, December 20, at the W. C. A. building in Webster street.

Down at the Prescott School the Oakland Club has made itself responsible for the baby welfare clinic and already invested in the furnishings and equipment which make the small depot where health is assured a model of its kind. The club has a number of women whose mother, with a bit of sadness in their hearts, bring in their babies to be examined. The club is a member of a well known Berkeley family, and expects to receive his degree in medicine shortly. He is a member of a well known Berkeley family, and expects to receive his degree in medicine shortly. He is a member of a well known Berkeley family, and expects to receive his degree in medicine shortly.

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Winifred Black FOLKS AND THINGS

Writes about

The W. W. O. U. S. A. are terribly excited. The other night they had a meeting, which broke up in a row. They've written to me to ask my opinion of them and their organization and their ideas of life generally.

Who are they? Well, who do you think?

The Wild Women of the United States of America; that's who the initials stand for. No wonder the meeting broke up in a row.

And they aren't women at all, but girls from 17 to 19; and their brothers save them the name.

Just a jolly lot of high-spirited, good-natured, fun-loving girls who want to be serious.

Want to be an influence in the world, they hold meetings and talk about the world, the flesh and the one whose name is never mentioned in polite society.

This time they talked about corsets—whether to wear them or whether to leave them off.

One was for corsets—long ones, heavy ones, stiff ones. She was of the opinion that no girl could do a perfect lady unless she hooked her back up and laced herself in and looked like the person in the advertising section of a woman's magazine.

Another had a battle-royal, and that was "Down with the corset lace." "Into the fire with everything that hook and lace and tips in."

Which was right? Dear me, fancy giving an opinion on a subject like that!

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Beauty Talks

by LUCY B. BORN



Massage your throat and chin with the fingers, then with the ice.

There is nothing more disastrous to beauty than a double chin. Taken in time, however, this tell-tale fullness that speaks maturity may be kept in subjection and the throat line may always be as clean cut as in youth.

To reduce a double chin loosen your collar, put your head well back and go through a chewing motion ten or twelve times. Open your mouth widely and pull your chin up just as high as it will go with each chew. Then take a light weight massage roll, tilt your head gently backward and starting at the point of your chin roll downward toward your chest. If you have no such roller this massage may be performed with your fingers, lubricated with a little cocoa butter or with a good massage cream.

After this massage take a lump of ice about the size of a walnut and rub your chin briskly until the ice is melted. Always after bathing your neck finish by dabbing or patting cold water on it as cold water strengthens the throat and makes the flesh firm.

Another exercise for preserving the throat line is gone through with as follows: Lie flat on your back on a couch or across the bed with your head hanging far down over the edge. Now bring your head up and over until your chin touches your chest. Repeat this motion until you are tired. This movement pulls on the muscles along the front of your neck and keeps them from accumulating fat.

Stand erect and twist your head first to one side and then to the other. It is important in this exercise that you stretch your head as far in each direction as possible. This will develop the muscles in the back and sides of your neck, and also help to keep down any accumulation of fat.

Now sit before a desk or table with your elbows resting firmly in front of you. Lay your forehead on your hands and press forward and downward with your head as vigorously as possible. You will feel the muscles across the front of your neck pulling, and this exercise is for the development of the muscles along the front of your neck.

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GRANDMA, THE DEMON CHAPERONE - By FOX



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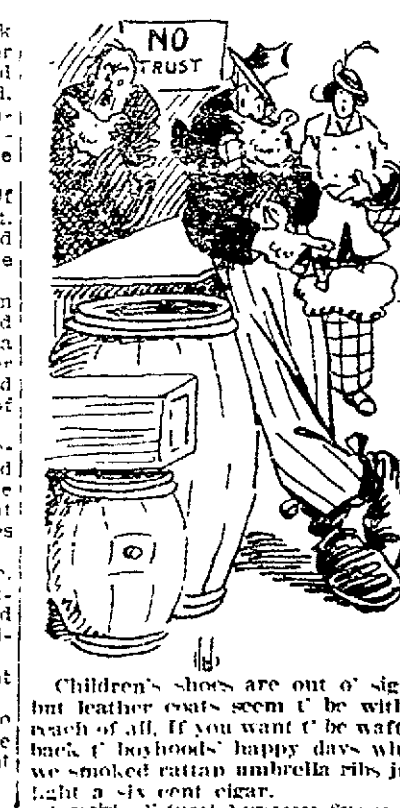
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Henry Frank Will Talk on Late Events

Henry Frank, leader of the People's Liberal Church, speaks tomorrow morning and evening at Hotel St. Francis (Post street entrance). The morning address in the series on interpretation of Omar Kayyasm will be "Subduality" will discuss the text, "I See the End of the World." "The Spell Some Letter of that After Life." At 8 p. m., in the series on World-Religion, the first of the topics will be, "What the Russians Are Seeking: Is Sovietism the Last Word on Democracy?" On Tuesday night in part 1 and 2 of the series (entrance) the drama lecture will be on "Ecceygrasy's great Drama on Scandal, and the Drama of the World." On Friday night in the Psychological department, Frank will discuss "Erichson's Psychology of the Unconscious Mind." The public may attend these meetings free of charge.

Henry Frank is well known as an author and writer, having written several books on immortality and psychic phenomena. He will present reports from these books in his address.

ILYGIN CONGREGATIONAL

The choir of the Ilygin Congregation will sing the hymns

the Christmas music. A short cantata, "The Hope of the World," will be given, under the direction of Mr. Roy C. Brown. Solo numbers and quartettes will be rendered by the Pilgrim quartette. The members of this quartette are: Miss Mildred

The Ladies' Aid of this church held their annual Christmas sale on Friday afternoon and evening. A variety of dairy articles as well as useful ones were sold. Delicious home-cooked foods were served at the dinner in the early evening. A musical program followed, with other forms of entertainment.

LATTER DAY SAINTS
"MORMONS."

The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints meets in Porter Hall, 1515 Grove street. Sunday-school at 10

6 o'clock; preaching at 11:45; evening services at 7:30.

DAY SAINTS

MAN TO BE ALONE
Up of the Sexes
 BY JESSE E. TALMAGE
 Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints, Salt Lake City, Utah
 Articles of this series, send request to author.

amongst uncouthed worlds, has developed his habitation, God created man in His image and gave him dominion over the earth and the man stood the woman, sharing with him the dignity of supremacy over all lesser

mate for man." (Gen. 2:18).
male and female "flesh of my
flesh, and bone of my bone," prom-
inent to the newly embodied pair.
for unto them the Lord said: "Be
in the earth." That the wedded state
permanent order of life amongst Adam's
Scripture: "Therefore shall a man
and shall cleave unto his wife: and they

tered under secular law, whereby the
ty, with responsibilities and obligations
nd, wife and children protected, prop-
ertiance regulated.
more than a legalized contract. It is a

The doctrine of the imperative necessity of celibacy and their disability from assuming clerical or other privilege and holding at the same time a virtuous wife, both imbued with the blessing of God, may never become the desire of every worthy woman to be mankind.

The pernicious doctrine that the sexual relationship between man and woman because of exalted status more acceptable than that of God. Touching this matter the revelation in the current age, saying:

"...whosoever forbiddeth to marry is not ordained of God unto man. Therefore, whosoever forbideth to marry, he forbiddeth that which God hath created; and he that forbiddeth that which God hath created, he doth violence to his brethren, and he shall answer the end of its creation, and that of man, according to his creation be-
cause of Covenants (see D&C 95:15-17.)"

ing his kind, man is in part bereft of ability of achievement within the limited as may seem to be the attainments of by the best standards of human estimation his leaving offspring and the worthy efforts of their sire. And

gifts from God, committed to our perfection and training in righteousness we must, remembering the solemn admonition

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M. E. Minister From Seattle Speaks Sunday

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In the evening the church will welcome the pastor, Dr. John Stephenson, of the First Methodist church, to the meeting of the home missionary board in Philadelphia. The evening service will be at 7 o'clock.

On Wednesday evening the school of missions will hold its usual lesson at 7 o'clock, and will have an hour of prayer and praise at 8:30 o'clock. Thursday the ladies' aid will meet at 2 o'clock, and the cafeteria dinner from 6 to 8 o'clock.

they arrive in the lecture room, both afternoon and evening. The Queen Esther Circle will have a special booth.

REV. GOVETTE

TO SPEAK ON
VALUE OF MEN

[illegible]

Coming Events

December 11—Honey Frank lecture at Hotel St. Francis, San Francisco.

December 14—Special collection at all churches for the Christmas program at Livermore Sanitarium and the County Hospital.

December 15—Men's Club, checker.

December 12—St. John's Episcopal Church.
December 13—Santa Clara Avenue M. E. Sunday school gives a cantata. Washington school auditorium.
December 21—Pageant story of the nativity, (Theurel), Plymouth Center.
December 21—Special Christmas services and programs throughout the churches.
December 23-24—Frederick L. Raw-

December 24—"Spirit of Christmas"
Fantasy, Park Congregational Sunday
School.
December 28—Christmas program
at County Infirmary and Livermore
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WELSH PRESBYTERIAN
Special preparations are being
made for the Christmas season at the
Welsh Presbyterian Church, Elgin.

tenses, under the leadership of John
 Hughes, are being taught special mu-
 sic, and after-Christmas plans are be-
 ing made. Sunday services will be
 conducted as usual by the pastor,
 Rev. O. R. Williams, with an 8
 o'clock service in English, and the
 evening service in Welsh.

EAST OAKLAND SERVICE.
 Rev. H. I. Kerr, pastor of the
 Brooklyn Presbyterian Church in

services Sunday. His subject for the morning worship is: "Has War and Unrest Changed Christ?" which will continue as a series of talks, and in the evening at 7:30 on the theme, "Ready for the First Christmas."

FOREFATHERS' SUNDAY
 Tomorrow will be Forefathers' Sunday at the Pilgrim Congregational Church, Eighth avenue and East Fifteenth street. The Rev. J.

A beautiful Christmas cantata, "The David's Royal City," will be given by the Sunday school of the Santa Clara M. E. church, Alameda. In the auditorium of the Washington school, Santa Clara avenue and Eighth street.

ALL SAINTS' CHURCH
All Saints' Episcopal church, Wingham, of which Rev Harry Perkins the pastor, announces services for the second Sunday in Advent, December 14, 1912 as follows. Sunday school, 10 a. m.; evening prayer and sermon, 7.30 p. m.; Wednesday Holy Communion, 10 a. m.; Litany service, 4 p. m.

GOSPEL AUDITORIUM
Gospel Auditorium
 12d and Rich sts. just off Telegraph.
 Sunday at 7.45 p. m.
 ADDRESS ON A SERVANT'S ON
 "THE EPISTLE TO THE

By Evangelist
H. A. Ironsides
ALL CORDIALLY INVITED

Telegraph Ave.
Subject for Sunday night.
Peace—The Devil Bound
But pray why is he not killed? Hear
beginning 7:45 p. m.

Exaggerated Reports of Prof. Porta's Predictions On December Weather Bring Criticisms and Explanation of Theories; Cataclysm Not Foretold

SAYS STORMS WILL VERIFY PREDICTIONS

By PROF. ALBERT F. PORTA.
I reply to the statement of Professor W. W. Campbell, director of the Lick Observatory, who denies that the planetary groupings of the latter part of this month will have any effect on the earth's weather.

Dr. Campbell's statement is evidently a contradiction of certain grossly exaggerated reports which have appeared in eastern newspapers. His complete denial also questions my predictions. There are two parts to my theory of the weather. The first explains the connection between the sun and the weather on earth.

Both parts of the theory are proven to be correct by series of observations extending over long periods of years. Like the law of gravitation, we cannot say why it is so, but observations prove that my theory is correct. A sun spot is formed at the conjunction of two planets, its place on the sun being between the intersection of the lines drawn from the planets' centers to the solar center, with the surface of the sun. Knowing the planetary positions, I am able to tell with certainty on what part of the sun and at what time a sun spot will appear. No explanation for this fact is offered but long-period observations prove that it is so; we must accept it.

IS ALWAYS PROVEN.
The other half of the theory is that whenever a sun spot appears at either edge of the sun, a storm will be started on the western coast of all the earth's continents. This is also proven by weather observations. Size of the sun spots depends on the force of the planetary conjunction from which in turn has its effect on the size of the storm.

The agglomeration of six planets in a thirty-degree sector on one side of the sun, I do not claim will lead to destroy the balance of the solar system. And if planetary motions were such that there were no conjunctions during the period of their agglomeration, I would predict no extraordinary weather. The medium of conjunctions during the middle of this month—this much is admitted by all astronomers.

PRODUCE SUN SPOTS.
The large number of conjunctions of the month (I listed them in my article in this newspaper, December 1) will produce a large number of sun spots. These appear on the outer edge of the sun at approximately the same time—December 24 and 25, and it is then that I predict great storms probably the heaviest on record. And if planetary motions of lesser intensity I predicted for earlier in the month, and so far the predictions have been borne out.

Professor Campbell's mistake is that he says that I say the weather conditions will be severe because of the nearness of the planets to each other. The essential reason is that there will be a large number of conjunctions at this time. The medium of reasoning is no different from that used by me successfully for years to predict stormy weather. A storm is produced by the appearance of a sun spot on the limb of the sun, the appearance of several sun spots at one time will produce storms of much greater intensity.

Professor Campbell objects to the forming of inter-planetary forces as magnetic. Their nature is little understood and it matters little what we call them. At no time has Professor Campbell denied my prediction of the formation of sun spots although he persists in ignoring it.

DOESN'T QUOTE PORTA.
It is not from my articles but those of some eastern astronomer from which Professor Campbell quotes. He does not predict that a big sun spot will be formed but that a number of small ones, one for each conjunction, will be formed very close to each other. He cannot predict a storm of ordinary size and all doing so at the same time with the result that a storm will be produced such as probably there is no record of in the past—this will be the supreme test.

While I predict great storms, I agree with Professor Campbell in denying rumors of the end of the world at this time or an upsetting of the solar system in any way.

Professor Albert F. Porta, in an article in the Sunday TRIBUNE of last August, predicted severe storms for December. He based his forecasts on a remarkable grouping of the units of the solar system, which he is pleased to call the League of Planets. In no part of this article, nor in later TRIBUNE articles, did Professor Porta prophesy a cataclysm or anything resembling it. Certain newspaper feature syndicates, dealing in luridness, sent over the world a sensational tale based on The TRIBUNE's forecast, so twisted as to make it appear that Professor Porta was looking forward to the millennium. The falsification of the facts of the prophecy has caused unnecessary pain and alarm. In the following article Prof. W. W. Campbell takes exception to Porta's views, and is answered by The TRIBUNE's forecaster.

President's Proclamation Explains Why Census Must Be Taken Throughout U. S.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 13.—The following proclamation by President Wilson regarding the fourteenth decennial census which is to be taken beginning January 2, was made public today by the census bureau:

Whereas, by the act of Congress approved March 3, 1910, the fourteenth decennial census of the United States is to be taken beginning on the second day of January, 1920; and

Whereas, a correct enumeration of the population every ten years is required by the constitution of the United States for the purpose of determining the representation of the several states in the House of Representatives; and

Whereas, it is of the utmost importance to the interests of all the people of the United States that this census should be a complete and accurate report of the population and resources of the nation;

"Now, therefore, I, Woodrow Wilson, President of the United States of America, do hereby declare and make known that, under the law aforesaid, it is the duty of every person to answer all questions on the census schedules applying to him and the family to which he belongs, and to the farm occupied by him or his family, and that any person refusing to do so is subject to penalty.

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CAMPBELL IN REVIEW TELLS OF SUNSPOTS

By PROF. W. W. CAMPBELL,
Director Lick Observatory, University of California.
Scores of communications have come to the Lick Observatory in recent weeks inquiring about dreaded storms, floods, earthquakes, volcanic eruptions, and so forth, to occur on December 13 and later.

These inquiries say that some astronomer made a prediction of a storm on December 13, and that it was a mistake for an astronomer would make such a prediction. I am a careful man would venture to say that severe storms do not occur on or about December 17, or any other date.

The fact is, no man is able to predict what will occur in the way of storms and earthquakes even ten days in the future. If I were to predict—which I do not—that a severe storm will occur somewhere in the northern hemisphere on or about January 15, the chances are strong that my prediction would be correct. The original proclamation bears the seal of the United States and is signed by the President.

PLANET MOVEMENTS.
It is true that on December 13 six of the planets, Mercury, Venus, Mars, Jupiter, Saturn and Neptune, will lie in one general direction from the sun, and a seventh planet, Uranus, very nearly in the opposite direction, but the earth will be in a quite different direction. The prophet says that such a strange grouping of planets has not been seen in a score of centuries. Then he goes on to say that such a grouping will have dire consequences for the earth. Conjunctions of the planets just as they have occurred in the past, and no one has recognized that the earth has suffered therefrom.

The prophet speaks of the "conjunction" of the seven planets on December 17. This is a mistake on his part. The two great planets Jupiter and Saturn, which contain thirteen times as much material as the other six planets combined, will not be in conjunction. The lines drawn from them to the sun will make an angle of twenty-six degrees with the other planets.

PULL UPON SUN.
The prophet says that when the planets pull upon the sun, the sun's gases will explode and produce a sun spot. Now, the gravitational pull of the planets upon the sun will not be the maximum on December 17. This pull upon the sun has been greater many times in the past century than it will be on December 17.

CONCERNING SUN SPOTS.
The prophet says: "The magnetic currents between Uranus and the six planets will pierce the sun like a mighty spear." Nobody has ever observed that there are any magnetic currents acting between any two or more of the planets. This statement of the prophet rests upon a discredited scientific theory.

The prophet brings in the sun spots, but he appears to know very little about them. He does not get his facts straight. He says that the planetary influences will on December 17 cause the biggest sun spot on record—a naked eye. He further says that since men began to make records of events, no sun spot has yet been large enough to be seen without the aid of instruments (meaning telescopes). Now, sun spots large enough to be seen by the naked eye are of frequent occurrence. I have myself seen several sun spots without telescopic aid, simply by looking at the sun at the right time through properly smoked glasses.

INVESTIGATION OF MILK COST IS DEMANDED

BERKELEY, Dec. 13.—A feature of Federal investigators to get at the bottom of the milk situation and find where the bulk of the profit goes does not daunt members of the Berkeley Housewives League. The league's inquiry committee, headed by Mrs. Meyer E. Jaffa, was instructed to "use every available method of getting at the cost of the production and distribution of milk."

"Such a step seems almost ridiculous," declared Mrs. W. E. Cleverdon, one of the founders of the league. "The Federal commission appointed recently to investigate the milk situation failed to find out what we are seeking to know. The only step open to us is to call upon the Governor or Legislature for an investigation."

RESOLUTION IS ADOPTED.
The resolution was passed unanimously and a mass meeting will be called in the near future to discuss ways and means of acquiring "inside" information relative to the cost of the production and distribution of milk.

Adoption of the resolution yesterday followed a report submitted by Mrs. Douglas Barner, who declared her fall after weeks of hard work to get at the bottom of the milk situation.

"No figures which will show the price paid to the cow owner by the producers' association are available," she declared. "We have scattered instances in our possession, but no general information which will set at the crux of the situation."

INCREASE IS PROPOSED.
Concerning the proposed increase of 4 cents per gallon effective December 15, Mrs. Rose said: "The question in everyone's mind is who gets the extra 4 cents. If we are to have cheaper milk every organization in the city must take some steps toward obtaining bona fide figures of the cost of production and distribution."

That milk distributors have their problems Mrs. Rose declared was evident in the higher wage demands made by milk wagon drivers. She suggested that members of the league combat the high cost of living by persuading their husbands to become drivers of milk wagons at a minimum wage of \$44 per week.

"Milk distributors in Alameda county are ready to co-operate with the housewife in lowering the cost of milk," declared Mrs. Rose.

Mercury Drops to 31 Above Which Is Coldest Spell of Years Around Bay Region

Oldest inhabitant was around this morning telling every one that last night was the coldest since the "water came up to Jules." The weather man says it was the coldest night of the year, at least. The seagulls were skating on the ice around the Key pier, and on the rim of Lake Merritt the wild ducks were doing a toboggan down the ice for their morning plunge. In North Berkeley water pipes were sealed up and swimming pools ice-cold, and in East Oakland the chickens had to peck holes in the ice in their water troughs to get a drink.

The lowest altitude around the mercury in the thermometer between 8 o'clock yesterday morning and the same hour today was 31 degrees, just a degree below freezing. The warmest temperature attained was 43.

From the hills early this morning the fog presented a far North picture. The roofs and lawns were white with frost and the smoke from chimneys ascended in little spirals straight toward the sky.

BAKER AND YAKIMA SHIVER AT 22 BELOW ZERO.
Record temperatures of 22 degrees below zero at 5 a. m. today were reported from Baker, Ore., and Yakima, Wash. to the United States Weather Bureau here today, and freezing weather tonight and tomorrow in the Great California Valleys was prognosticated by the bureau.

The mercury stood at zero at 9 o'clock this morning.

SALT LAKE CITY, Dec. 13.—The thermometer here today was 3 degrees below at 4 a. m., but rose rapidly. The ground is covered with five inches of snow.

OGDEN, Utah, Dec. 13.—Thirty degrees below zero at 4 a. m. today, the thermometer in the U. S. Weather Observation Station here last night. This was declared to be the lowest figure recorded since official observations have been taken here.

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U. S. TO MAKE NEW TESTS ALAMEDA BAS

That work along the line of tests to further confirm the findings of the Helm commission relative to the Alameda naval base awaits the passage of the appropriation bill is the information contained in a telegram received in Washington this morning by the Chamber of Commerce. It is expected that action on the bill is taken soon after Congress convenes following the holiday recess.

In the belief of Chamber of Commerce officials who are familiar with subsurface conditions at site, these borings will be a perfunctory as far as results concerned. It is pointed out that the Helm commission, in drilling test piles and borings covering possible phase of the foundation situation arising from the seventy-two feet below low water level, has not been able to obtain any reliable data.

The energies of the chamber now are directed, through its public relations committee, to mapping out a campaign to obtain the initial appropriation of \$10,000,000 and to assist the Alameda chamber of commerce and city officials in their campaign for a special election to transfer the tide lands to the government.

In this election, the entire chinery of the Oakland chamber will be turned over to the Alameda campaign. The fight in Alameda will be on the vote and in interest among the people. The medians have promised a 50-vote in favor of the naval base. It is planned to make this the of the campaign.

State Senator A. H. Breed, chairman of the Naval Base committee, is planning to announce his points early next week on special committee to raise the issue to Congress in Washington. Sufficient funds are to be collected to keep the delegation in national capital for a half year necessary.

The naval base committee hold a special meeting within a time, when work will begin on gathering of special data to be to Congress by the delegation. Latest advices from Washington say that Congress will not consider of the naval base until after the holiday recess. J. B. Caine, managing director of Oakland chamber, is laying his accordingly to leave for Washington immediately after New Year's day.

MEXICO HAS SUGAR.
MEXICO CITY, Dec. 13.—There is no shortage of sugar at present in Mexico and the government cannot undertake to prevent situation. Secretary of the Treasury Cabrera has stated that the portation of sugar from the re is prohibited.

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Charges of Manuel Oliveira that he was robbed of \$2 by a man in a blue uniform, whom he believed was a policeman, were investigated, but yielded no results last night.

Oliveira, according to Officer M. J. Hayes, was found in an intoxicated state at Seventh and Campbell streets. He made his complaint in Italian.

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CHILE FEARS ACTIVITIES OF JAPANESE

RIO JANEIRO, Dec. 13.—Efforts made by Japanese to establish themselves in Chile, particularly in the coal and iron mining fields, are exciting considerable interest. There is also talk of the opening up of fishing industries in certain islands to the south. In localities where Japanese would have particularly good opportunities.

These activities awaken interest because it is recognized here that Japan is seeking opportunities in South America for her excess population. Already they have made much progress in Peru. In Chile also they are beginning this work and it has been said here that they seek particularly situations that are strategic from a strategic and industrial standpoint, as for example, Concepcion Bay, where there are many coal mines.

Certain newspapers in Southern Chile have been calling attention to these activities. At the head of Concepcion Bay there are coal mines on which according to newspaper reports Japanese have already made an option. This option is said to include the mines of Pilipico, for which an offer of 180,000 pounds has been made.

The Japanese syndicate, it is reported, plans to develop the coal industry at Concepcion and introduce modern machinery.

There is no law in Chile which prevents the purchase of property by foreigners. It is pointed out here that the negotiations above referred to may result in delivering to Japan an important base for the development of her influence in the Pacific.

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